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One Case Already Developed in the City—What President of the Board of Health Says—Searching for Escaped Prisoners—Personal.

Manchester Bureau, The Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

Another case of smallpox was reported as having developed in Second Street, Manchester, last night. All precautionary means are being taken to prevent its spread. This is the only case in the city, there are one or two others in the suburbs. There is no smallpox scare in Manchester, and very few of the citizens see the necessity of a compulsory vaccination.

Dr. Hill, president of the Board of Health, said last night that just as soon as he got in all bids from the local druggist for supplying the virus, he would begin the work. He thought this would be by the end of the week. Four physicians will be assigned to the task, and the city will be partitioned off into four districts. A house to house canvass will be made, and all persons who have not recently been vaccinated will be compelled to submit to the knife of the physician.

CONFIRMATION AVOIDED.
What might have been a serious fire was averted Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock by the prompt work of Miss Bessie Alsop and Mrs. Vernon Burton. Mrs. Alsop lives in the flat over A. L. Johnson's office, on Hull Street. At the time referred to, she was alone in her apartment. Fortunately, the flames did not spread rapidly, and Miss Bessie rushed out and sought aid. Mrs. Burton, who lives in the flat above, was awakened by the sound of the alarm. She rushed down and found the fire had been started by a candle which had tipped over and set the furniture on fire. The fire was quickly extinguished, and no damage was done. The fire was caused by a candle which had tipped over and set the furniture on fire. The fire was quickly extinguished, and no damage was done.

ROBBERIES REPORTED.
There were a number of robberies reported in Manchester on Sunday night, but so far no clues as to the robbers have been obtained. In most instances the methods pursued were the same as those carried out by the thieves who have been operating in Richmond.

The greatest loss was sustained at Friend's drug store, at Cowardin Avenue and Hull Street, where a window was broken and about forty dollars stolen. At first the police thought the depredations were committed by the four men who escaped from the Chesterfield jail on Sunday night, but they are now inclined to believe that the thieves who have been operating in Richmond.

Organized Hay Loft.
Annawan Tribe, No. 30, I. O. R. M., held a large-attended meeting last night in Southside Hall.

Deputy Great Sachem Minnie Folkes was present and made an address on the principles of the order, which was highly entertaining. The chiefs present decided to organize a hay loft and enough members were secured for the charter. All members who wish to become members of the hay-makers are urged to be present Monday night, February 9th, as on that night the loft will be instituted and the charter first closed.

The committee appointed to organize a Council of the degree of Pochontas expect to make their report on next Monday night.

CONSOLIDATION OF RICHMOND PAPERS

New Establishments Now Running Smoothly—No Unnecessary Changes.

Apart from the many details yet to be arranged the reorganized newspapers of Richmond are already running smoothly.

No changes have been made that could be avoided, and the services of none have been dispensed with where it was possible to do otherwise. There will be no change in the business offices, and the mechanical departments of all of the former and the necessary helpers will be retained. The following will compose the staff of The Times-Dispatch:

S. B. Woodfin, managing editor.
W. B. Copeland, Frank S. Woodson and W. D. Chestnut, editorial writers.
H. D. Perkins, city editor.
John D. Murrell, city editor.
R. L. M. Scott, night editor.
H. L. Smith, news editor.

Reporters—P. R. Noel, C. A. Boyce, Harry Tucker, Charles M. Graves, Ralph Smith and J. P. Celsinger.

The Staff of the News-Leader has been announced as follows:
Alfred B. Williams, editor.
G. Watson James, associate editor.
Leland Rankin, publisher.

John T. Madison, city editor.
E. R. Chestnut, assistant city editor.
W. B. Seal, labor editor.

Local reporters—John A. Moreno, Herbert C. Duce, Horace A. Hawkins, Robert M. Lynn, J. H. Moore, Herman West.

MR. VAN HOUTEN TO GO SOUTH

He Has Accepted a Call to Church in a Mississippi Town.

The Rev. Charles N. Van Houten, evangelist for East Tennessee Presbytery and one of the best known of the local Presbyterian ministers, has accepted a call to the pastorate of a church in Tupelo, Miss. He will leave this week for his new field of work.

The connection of Mr. Van Houten with the evangelistic work of the Presbytery dates from January of last year, at which time he resigned his charge in Meigs county to accept the new position. Since then he has traveled the Presbytery from end to end, holding revivals and opening up the work at different points.

He has been highly successful, and it is with many regrets that his friends and fellow ministers see him leave. The church of which he will become the pastor is a substantial country field in Mississippi. The Home Mission Committee of the Presbytery will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock to take some action looking toward securing a successor to Mr. Van Houten.



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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

DAILY CALENDAR, JANUARY 27TH.

... We have been used to sudden jolts all our life, and when a street-car jumps the track with us on board we don't mind it a bit, even though our head should go through the window.

We could fall off the City Hall tower and escape unscathed. We'd fall on some fat person or other. A sudden arrest to the head we had been left a million dollars wouldn't give us the heart disease, for we'd take it as a matter of fact and feel that it was due to us anyway.

Nothing has been known to phase us up to date. Even when we made arrangements at the police station for lodging on Saturday night we did it with a nonchalant air and simply as a matter of precaution.

We like to look ahead sometimes, and if we look through the wrong end of the field glass it's simply the absence of mind.

Amnesia of mind is characteristic of all great men. We may not be as great as some men just at this time, but we expect to catch up.

We even expect to catch up with the great of the city. And we expect to renew our old acquaintances in Manchester.

Now there's a city for you, with Mayor Maurice and Chief Lipscomb at the helm.

But what we started out to reflect was the fact that it didn't take us a minute to fit ourselves to circumstances.

We could go to Madagascar or Honolulu and stand in with the natives in a minute.

We are in fact a very able fellow and when we bid a short, fond farewell to our friends in the City Hall we hope they will not shed tears, but remember us in a more substantial way.

Hull Street will know us again, and we will be happy.

These sudden changes catch us some times without our flannels on, but we are quick in grasping the situation.

They say that the only man who refused to make good his escape from the Chesterfield jail was an idiot.

It strikes us that he was the most sensible man in the lot, and his term should be shortened, for he could go out and teach the world how to use its brains to the best advantage.

We hereby wish to bid good-bye to the "2 P. M. edition."

For many weary months we have arisen at 6 A. M. and rushed about to help fill that edition.

Off have we sprinted in the quest of something to put in the "2 P. M. edition," when we needed rest and sleep and advice.

Many's the time we turned in at 4 A. M. and had to get into the office two hours later fresh and full of ideas for that "2 P. M. edition."

But now it is all over. Even the worst leaves us sometimes.

Now we don't have to get up and make the fire so soon.

HARRY TUCKER.

MR. QUAY IS OBDDURATE

Insists That Statehood Bill Be Considered.

THE HOUSE PROCEEDINGS

Military Academy Bill Passed Without Single Word of Debate—Indiana, Mississippi, Case to Be Fully Aired in the House.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26.—In the Senate today Mr. Quay, in charge of the omnibus statehood bill, insisted on its consideration to the exclusion of other business. When Senator Platt, of New York, attempted to call up a committee report providing for the printing of a document, Mr. Quay objected. Mr. Hale thereupon declared that Mr. Quay was confiscating the time of the Senate. The latter replied calmly that this could be obviated by allowing a vote on the statehood bill.

The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was passed. The Lodge amendment, providing for a reorganization of the consular service, was ruled out of order and debate cut off. The Senate adjourned until to-morrow.

In the House.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26.—The House today made a new record in the matter of appropriation bills. The military academy bill was passed without a single word of debate. The Indian bill, which followed, was not completed to-day, as Mr. Burton, of Ohio, made a long speech on it in general criticism of the policy of the government towards the Indians.

A resolution was adopted calling on the Postmaster-General for the correspondence in the Indiana, Miss., postoffice case. The resolution was presented by Mr. Loud. Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, asked Mr. Loud to yield to permit him to offer an amendment to include the President as well as the Postmaster-General, in order that light might be fully shed upon the matter. Mr. Loud declined to yield, saying that the report of the committee was unanimous.

Mr. Swanson, of Virginia, a minority member of the Postoffice Committee, said that according to his understanding the resolution would procure all the correspondence except a single personal letter to the President, which it would not be compatible with public interests to publish. The House adjourned until to-morrow.

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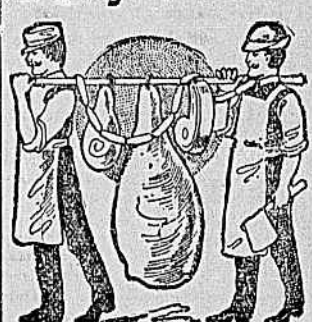
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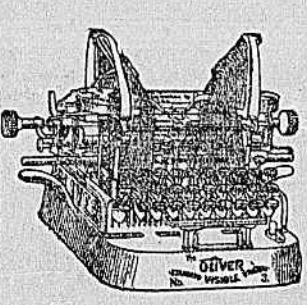
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The Virginia commissioners for the St. Louis Exposition will meet to-day at 12 M. for the purpose of organization and the election of such assistants as are now needed. A general discussion of the character of the exhibit to be made by Virginia will certainly take place.

Two of the commissioners—Messrs. G. W. Kolner and A. M. Bowman—the one Commissioner of Agriculture and the other a member of the House of Delegates, are already here. The other member, Mr. J. Lewis Patton, will certainly be on hand.

The people throughout the State have taken it for granted that Mr. Kolner will be the presiding officer of the commission, and he may be elected to-day by the other two gentlemen, though, of course, this remains to be seen.

Kolner already has an office here and clerical help and these considerations, with the fact that Richmond is looked upon as the political center of the State, have naturally attracted the attention of the people to Mr. Kolner and he has gotten many letters from people who take it for granted that he is already the executive officer.

FIFTY APPLICANTS.
Another matter of great importance and no little difficulty will be the selection of assistants. The bill which was passed allows the employment of five. It is quite certain that not more than two will be chosen to-day, and possibly only one.

For the five positions in the gift of the commission, there are about fifty applications coming from nearly every section of the State, not including the trucking section. Curious enough, not a person has asked for work from the Eastern Shore or from the great trucking district of Tidewater. One of the assistants will certainly come from this section and the nomination will likely be made by Commissioner Patton.

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